

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR IN TRIUMPH ENTERS BUKOWINA CAPITAL

Charles Parades Through the Streets of Czernowitz, Says Dispatch

KAISER HAS SENT A TELEGRAM

Germans Are Active on West Flanders Front, London Has Admitted

(International News Service.)

Zurich, Aug. 8.—Emperor Charles of Austria, has made a triumphal entry into Czernowitz, capital of the Austro-Hungarian crownland of Bukovina, says a dispatch received here today.

(International News Service.)

Geneva, Aug. 8.—Germany is ready to grant Poland a cabinet and a form of government with a council of state, said a Warsaw dispatch today. This decision was reached after a conference at Vienna that followed the recent Polish troubles.

(International News Service.)

Berlin, via Zurich, Aug. 8.—Emperor William has sent the following response to a telegram from Dr. Kempf, president of the Reichstag: "In weighing the determination shown by our population in the last three years, I am convinced that we shall surmount every obstacle without fear of differences of opinion that have arisen in the interior and we shall hold firm until a peace which guarantees the future greatness of our country is assured in a happy manner."

(International News Service.)

London, Aug. 8.—Raiding operations and violent artillery duels were reported from the West Flanders front today by the British war office. In the Lomdartzde sector, British troops made a successful raid, capturing a number of prisoners. East and north of Ypres the German artillery is directing a terrific bombardment against the new British positions.

(International News Service.)

Madrid, Aug. 8.—The Spanish foreign minister has made a protest against the sinking of the Spanish boat Campolibre by a German submarine.

ROOT MISSION AT WASHINGTON

GETS BACK SAFE FROM LONG TRIP TO RUSSIA; CHAIRMAN TALKS.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—Headed by Chairman Elihu T. Root, the American mission to Russia, returned to Washington today and prepared to report at once to President Wilson.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—Germany alone stands between Russia and a Russian republic, Elihu T. Root made this statement this afternoon prior to his formal report to President Wilson and the state department.

"A Russian republic is a certainty, or as near a certainty as anything can be in human affairs," Mr. Root said. "Russia will pull out. The only thing that could break up Russia now is Germany. Should Germany overwhelm Russia, then the republic would be in danger."

"Russia is remarkably self-controlled," said Gen. Scott, chief of staff, and head of the military branch of the Root mission. "There is as good order in Russia as there is in the United States. The national feeling is strong."

MARRIED MEN ALSO TO FIGHT

SECRETARY BAKER MAKES NEW RULING IN REGARD TO DEPENDENCIES.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—Even married men are not going to evade the draft. Secretary of War Baker and Provost Marshal General Crowder have before them today a further ruling on "dependencies," which will possibly be issued during the day. It is understood that President Wilson and Secretary Baker have reached the conclusion that men with wealthy wives cannot hide behind their skirts. While the ruling is still in abeyance, it is believed that it will apply to relatives of "dependent wives." It may be necessary for a man claiming dependency to show that his wife has no father or mother who is willing to support her during his absence. Searching investigation will also be made into the property rights of dependent wives.

Numerous reports have reached Washington that men of small salary married to wealthy women are claiming exemption. Further orders for "tightening up" have gone to all to (Continued on Page Three)

STENOS, PRETTY, UGLY, LONG OR SHORT, WANTED BY UNCLE SAM

Government Advises That the Demand is Practically Without Limit

The stenographer has come into her or his own. The day has passed when feminine puerility is necessary in order to land a job. Uncle Sam is in the market now, and so badly does he need good shorthand writers, and typists that he has notified W. G. Gentry, of the Albany board of examiners, along with hundreds of other civil service secretaries, to go out into the highways and secure men and women for this branch of service.

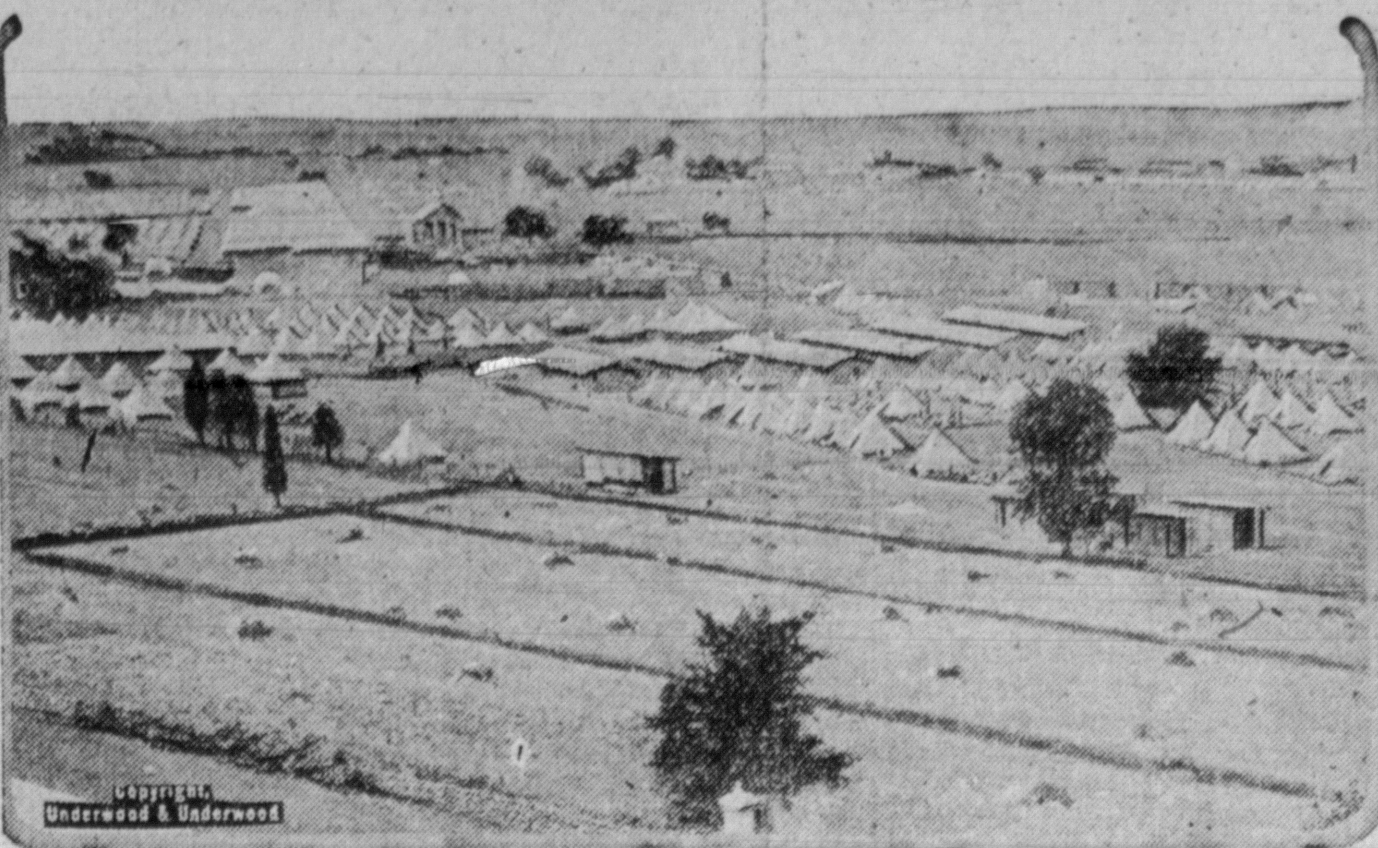
It is possible, even probable, that at no distant date the number of trained stenographers and typewriters in the country will be less than the number of positions calling for such special knowledge," the government says. And it is added: "All

possible publicity should be given to the suggestion that young men and young women who take up a course of stenography and typewriting are practically sure of an offer of government employment at a salary of from \$900 to \$1,200 per year when they shall have qualified in the commission's examinations."

Mr. Gentry is not authorized to conduct civil service examinations for stenographers or typists, these examinations being held at Birmingham on Tuesday of each week.

Other civil service positions now open are those of assistant land classifier and junior land classifier, at salaries ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,800 per year. Mr. Gentry can furnish further details.

SOLDIERS AGAIN OCCUPY GETTYSBURG BATTLEFIELD



View of the camp of United States troops on the Gettysburg battlefield. United States regiments and several thousand embryonic "Scammies" are in training here.

NO EXEMPTIONS IN ALABAMA FOR CLASS REASONS IS RULING OF BOARDS

JOINT MEETING HELD AT BIRMINGHAM YESTERDAY NARROWED THE LINES AND MAKES IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR DRAFTED MEN TO REMAIN AT HOME.

STRICT AS TO DEPENDENCIES

RESOLUTION ADOPTED MAKES IT PLAIN THAT REAL DEPENDENCY MUST BE ESTABLISHED BEFORE MEN ARE EXCUSED.

No exemptions whatever for agricultural, industrial or occupational reasons will be granted in Alabama. This was the conclusion reached by the various district boards, at a joint meeting held at Birmingham yesterday. The board voted down a resolution of Gen. John W. Peebles of Mooresville to exempt cotton mill workers.

In regard to dependencies, the joint meeting adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the rules and regulations prescribed by the president under authority vested in him by act of congress in respect of persons, "Those in a status with respect of persons dependent on them which renders their exclusion or discharge advisable," or commonly known as rules concerning dependency, should be strictly and not liberally construed and enforced. Resolved, further, That the district boards of Alabama are impressed with the conviction that the act of congress known as the selective service law and the rules and regulations prescribed by the president for the enforcement of such law, were intended primarily to secure as speedily as possible an increase of the military establishment of the United States, that in discharge of the duties imposed upon them by the law, they should not adopt such construction as will defeat such purpose.

The following resolution was offered by Dr. M. D. Thomas of the middle district:

Resolved, That no applicant for exemption or discharge shall appear personally or by attorney before the district board except at the specific request of such board communicated to such person in writing.

This resolution was unanimously adopted.

It was the unanimous opinion of the members of the district boards that in construction of the law and the rules and regulations prescribed by the president, all doubts should be resolved in favor of the government.

Food Control Bill Passes Senate

At Four O'clock This Afternoon Goes Through. Already Had Passed the House

(International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—The food control bill, described as the most revolutionary measure in the history of the American congress, awaits only formal action to go upon the nation's statute books. The senate will pass it finally at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Even its opponents conceded this today.

The measure will then go back to the house for Speaker Clark's signature Friday, and then is passed on to the president. The big bill will be a law Friday night.

Both success and disaster are predicted for the measure, for if its aims are carried out the cost of living will be cut down. Speculating will be ended. Production of food will be stimulated and the economic questions of the war will be well on their way to solution. If the predictions of its opponents are realized, business will be depressed, production will be reduced and the cost of living will soar.

PLAN TO PREVENT ALL STRIKES DURING WAR IS PERFECTED

GOVERNMENT WILL TAKE CHARGE WHENEVER AGREEMENT OF MEN AND EMPLOYERS NOT REACHED.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—Organized labor and the administration have declared a truce. The armistice will be at least for the duration of the war.

Secretary of War Baker has before him today a plan for averting labor troubles in war times. It is generally understood that the plan is approved by President Wilson and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor.

Details of the plan have not been made public, but it is understood it follows closely the English system. The war department will assume supervision over all materials necessary in the conduct of the war. In all industries where work is being turned out, whether shells or buttons for uniforms, the war department takes the right to commandeer the factory in case of labor troubles.

When difficulties arise between employer and employee the war department will step in and take authority. Work will continue and workers will be forced to continue their labor.

A conciliation commission will be appointed. On this commission which will have jurisdiction over the entire industrial district, there will be six or more members. They will sit in judgment on the trouble and when handed down their decisions will date back to the time of the origin of the difficulty. Employers will be forced to obey the decisions of the commission to the same degree as employees.

Hungry Americans Leave Jerusalem

Berne, Aug. 8.—Two trainloads of American citizens, all in pitiable condition, have arrived in Switzerland from Jerusalem and other points in the Turkish empire. All report food conditions in Turkey terrible.

CONTRACT IS LET FOR STREET WORK BY ALBANY COUNCIL

JOHNSTON, JACKSON, SHERMAN AND NINTH STREETS TO BE RE-SURFACED.

A contract was awarded last night by the Albany city council for the expenditure of funds aggregating \$6,000 for the improvement of Johnston, Jackson, Sherman and Ninth streets. The work was given to the Asphalt Surfacing and Construction Company of Birmingham, represented by J. W. Black, superintendent of construction.

Mr. Black stated that it would require 25 working days to finish the job. The contract reads that a coat of limestone or gravel and asphalt will be spread on Johnston, Jackson and Sherman streets for 15 cents a square yard, and a like application on Ninth street for 12 cents per square yard. The council contemplates more street improvements if it is pleased with the contracted work.

AUTO HITS CHILD; BREAKS BOTH LEGS

Andy Stoltz, Jr., had both legs broken just above the knee when he was run over on Vine street yesterday afternoon by an automobile occupied by J. W. Wallace and T. E. Coleman, traveling men of Birmingham. The child dashed in front of the car and was struck by the machine before the brakes could be applied, the men stated. They claimed that the accident was unavoidable.

The little boy was quickly picked up by the men and taken to the office of Drs. Watson and Greer. Dr. Frank Pettey and Dr. Watson set the broken bones, after which the wounded boy was taken to the home of his grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Ferguson. The father, Andy Stoltz, owns a meat market on Vine street and the mother of the child is dead.

MORGAN COUNTY SELECTION BOARD HARD AT WORK

First Three Men Called Today Filed Claims For Exemption

RUSSIAN WAS FIRST EXAMINED

But Little Progress Made at Morning Session, Less Than Score Appearing Before Physicians

The flower of Morgan county's manhood is today being picked for duty in the new national army. The selection board, in session at the court house, is examining the men who were included in the first call of the draft, and is cutting out those who have physical deficiencies or dependencies. When the board's task is completed, 328 young men, virile, sound and determined will be ready to carry the banner of democracy to the very strongholds of German autocracy.

The task confronting the board is a big one. It is so huge that although the examinations were begun this morning, only 22 had passed in review before the physicians at noon. Unless the work can be expedited in some way, it is doubtful if the 22 men summoned to appear today can be disposed of. All morning long the court house yard was crowded with men from every section of the county, each eagerly awaiting his turn. Included in the throng were many wives who had been brought along by husbands to claim exemption for them on the spot. One father also brought four children as a further testimonial to the fact that he is needed at home.

Russian Called First.
Zackie Kornis, a Russian Jew, of Decatur, was the first man to face the board for physical examination this morning, and a few minutes after filed a claim for exemption because of a dependent wife. He is 25 years of age and a shoe maker on Lafayette street. He has only been in this country four years and has a brother now fighting in the famous Russian cossack cavalry. He also had a brother killed in battle in 1915.

So far Mr. Kornis has not taken out naturalization papers, but has specified his intention of doing so. He was the twenty-second man to register in Decatur and his draft number is 258.

The second man to go before the board was Rossie Puckett, of Fairview. He filed a claim of exemption because of a wife and two children dependent on him.

All Are "Exempt."
Twenty-two men were examined by 1 o'clock this afternoon, and six discharged because of physical disabilities, making a little over 27 per cent discharged. Every one of the remaining 16 filed an exemption claim except one and Mr. Draper thinks he did not understand that he could file his claim at the time of his examination.

Every one of the claims for exemption were based upon dependent relatives. Only three doctors on the job this morning made the work of examination a slow process. Drs. Bailey, Chenault and Murray were prompt to begin with. Dr. Gunter is also volunteering his service. Dr. W. H. Greer did not arrive until about 11 o'clock and at 1 o'clock Dr. Pettey had not arrived.

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ONLY THIRTEEN IN LAWRENCE COUNTY CAUGHT BY DRAFT

NINETY MEN EXAMINED FIRST DAY, 34 HAD PHYSICAL DISABILITIES.

The Lawrence county exemption board examined 90 men yesterday and a total of 34 of this number were rejected because of physical disabilities. The remaining 56 men all filed claims of exemption except 13.

The first man examined by the board, Herman Jones, of Courtland, was rejected.

The circuit clerk, W. R. Jackson, reported this afternoon at 2 o'clock that the board is trying to examine 100 men today. The physicians making the examinations are Drs. Taylor, J. H. Irwin and Fennell.

The quota called for each day in Lawrence county is 147 men, so it is seen that the physicians are not able to do the daily work set before them.

TROOPS ON GUARD TO QUELL STRIKES

(International News Service.)
Springfield, Ill., Aug. 9.—Five hundred members of the Ninth Illinois Infantry were on strike duty here today following the death last night of Policeman Noll, who was shot from a street car by non-union men.

Governor Lowden today was said to be convinced that it would be necessary to declare martial law.

CAR OF MAIL ORDER CATALOGUE DISTRIBUTED BY DECATUR P. O.

Sent Here By Rail From Chicago to Save Postage. Extra Mail Sacks Required

Forty thousand pounds of mail order catalogues—a solid car load—are being distributed from the Decatur postoffice to almost every city and hamlet in Alabama and Mississippi. The big consignment was sent to Decatur by freight in order that postage might be saved by taking advantage of the much lower first and second zone rates.

The postage for the mailing, about \$1,200 in all, will go to the credit of the Decatur office. A stamp bearing the post mark of Decatur will be placed on each book, thus advertising the city extensively. Eight cents in postage is required for each catalogue, but a permit has been secured by the office so that the actual stamps will not have to be placed on the wrappers.

The Twin City Transfer Company had to make ten loads with their truck to transport all this advertising matter to the postoffice. The mountain of printed matter had to be handled by the office force so that while they looked after the regular duties, but they did it cheerfully. One attaché casually remarked that he hoped he would see any of John M. Smith's catalogues when he got in the trenches. Extra mail sacks had to be ordered from Nashville to accommodate the large amount of outgoing mail.

Postmaster Crawford has assured that he will receive other shipments of catalogues to be distributed by Decatur office.

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MR. GERARD JOINS THE RANKS OF THE ALARMISTS.

James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany, has joined the ranks of the alarmists. In the first of a series of articles that he is writing for a Philadelphia publication, he warns the United States that after three years of fighting the German foe is almost as strong as ever. Mr. Gerard states that 9,000,000 of the 12,000,000 men called to the colors are in excellent trim, that the allies are nearer starvation than the Germans, and that for a long time to come our autocratic friends of the Fatherland will be linked well within the fond embraces of Mars.

All that Mr. Gerard says is no doubt true. He is in position to know the inside of German conditions. He was probably the last American of consequence to get away from Berlin with a whole hide. At the same time, it is barely possible that the diplomat—his game being diplomacy—has painted but one side of the picture. He could have told the American public with equal truthfulness that since the war began Great Britain has developed an army of many millions of men; he could have said that France with a population of nearly half a hundred million should still be able to muster an army of reasonably formidable proportions. Mr. Gerard could have gone still further and told his readers that the same devastation, the same uncalculated ruin that Germany has wrought upon the allies has in turn been wrought by the allies upon Germany. He could have pictured this as a two-sided war, a war in which the balance was so even that to continue the struggle on and on indefinitely seems to be the suicidal act of madmen. Or he could have pictured it as a war in which the fresh forces and superior resources of this republic would turn the tide toward a quick decision.

It is peculiarly apparent that there is an organized propaganda working in the interest of doubt and gloom and despair. These evanels of fear have accepted the theory that the manhood of this nation will respond only when made to shrink and to shudder. They may be right. At any rate, the timeliness of the new campaign is questioned. It would be equally as appropriate to tell a sick friend that his malady is incurable.

KINGDON COULD HAS A "DEPENDENT" WIFE.

Unless he has been misrepresented by press dispatches, Kingdon Gould, eldest son of George J. Gould, and one of the world's wealthiest men, has filed a claim for exemption from military service. Mr. Gould does not allege that he has a fluttering heart, a wrecked disposition or a possiblyaching tooth. He even fails to admit that his eyesight is faulty or his hearing defective. Physically, the examining physicians found that he was well up to army requirements.

The only ground for exemption that Mr. Gould advances is that he has a dependent wife. She became dependent on July 2 of this present year, for on that date Miss Annunziata Camilla Maria Lucel, an artist, established a legal connection with the Gould millions. The marriage was as truly romantic as any of those other numerous alliances that popped up just on the eve of registration for the draft.

A comedian recently told a local audience: "Let Rockefeller fight for the country—he owns it." And the exemption board will no doubt give pretty much the same answer to the effeminate scion of the family of Gould. It would be a splendid travesty upon American justice, a striking illustration of gross favoritism, if this newly wed millionaire should be allowed to hide behind the silken petticoats of Annunziata Camilla Maria, while some horny handed son of toil, too many to eringe, went forth to fill his place in the French trenches.

Telephone Company Wants to Postpone Erection of Exchange Building Until After the War

Manager J. B. Cassels, of the Bell Telephone Company, informed the city council last night that the federal government had requested that the telephone company spend no more money on improvements until after the war. Mr. Cassels referred specifically to the new exchange building for the company on Johnston street which the contract agreed on with the city calls for the completion of by April 1, 1918. He pointed out that

Morgan County Selection Board Hard at Work

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The board hopes to speed up this afternoon, but if all of the 220 men called for today are not examined they will be taken first tomorrow.

The examination is being held in the commissioners' office down stairs at the court house. Circuit Clerk Draper is clerk, taking down figures as to the physical standing of the person examined. Then anyone wishing to file a claim for exemption is directed upstairs to the circuit clerk's office where he is given a proper blank. Then he has ten days to take this form home and get proper proofs that will exempt him from service.

If a person claims exemption because of dependent relatives he is given a form containing three blank affidavits, one for him to make personally, one for his wife or other dependent, to make, and one for some neighbor, head of a household who knows the facts in the case of the man to be exempted. Each affidavit has to be made before a notary public.

These Were Discharged.
The following registered men were discharged by the examining board this morning because of physical disabilities. However, there are limitations to the discharge, as the person's certificate may be annulled at any time: Lee Swoope, colored, Decatur, draft number 3, first man rejected; Gus Baker, colored, Flint; Roy McCutcheon, Somerville; Milo A. Moody, Hartselle; Gilbert W. Edwards, Albany.

WHEN DUTY CALLS HIM



Except for that little tiff with the Spaniards in 1898, it has been, almost fifty years since the American volunteer has found it necessary to strap his canteen on his back, kiss the wife and kiddies good-bye and march out in defense of his country's rights and principles. But here he goes—two million of him, if necessary—and the prayers and good wishes of the other hundred and eight million will follow him.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

Charles F. Crow vs. W. R. Cooksey et al.

Circuit Court, Morgan County, Ala.

IN EQUITY

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered July 17, 1917, in the above styled cause by the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity, I will proceed on Monday, August 27, 1917, before the Court House door of said county, in Decatur, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situated in the City of Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lots numbered 13 and 14, in Block 3, in what is known as Stroup's Addition to Decatur, Alabama.

Witness my hand as Register of said Court, this July 27, 1917.

MARVIN WEST, Register.

much rubber, copper, lead and platinum is used in the construction of telephone exchanges.

Manager Cassels suggested that the company would prefer to extend the contract until one year after the war, although he emphasized the fact that the building can be erected cheaper now than later. The question was finally referred to City Attorney Tannis Tidwell. Indications are that the city will reject the proposition of the telephone company.

England is Dodging, Says Firebrand Writer

(International News Service.)
Amsterdam, Aug. 8.—Count Reventlow, firebrand journalist, writing in the Deutsche Tages Zeitung, of Berlin, answers the recent speech of Premier Lloyd George, according to Berlin advices today.

"Premier Lloyd George is merely talking to distract attention from England," said the German writer. "France and England are bitterly disappointed that the recent attack in West Flanders did not result in breaking through the German lines."

Courtesy of Former Morgan County Sheriff

Grapes, and fine ones, found their way to this office, through the courtesy of Ex-Sheriff McCulloch, and were enjoyed by the office force. He is a good raiser of grapes as he was sheriff of Morgan county, and that's saying a good deal.

Fine Peaches Grown By Alderman Proctor

Alderman John L. Proctor has qualified as a grower of fine peaches. He exhibited two big red blushing Elbertas at the Daily office today that would have reflected credit upon the most expert orchardist. They were smooth and flawless and unusually large and pretty.

Decatur, Alabama, July 3, 1917.
Application for Registration of Marks and Brands of Milk Bottles Belonging to H. A. Ramage.

I, H. A. Ramage, residing near Decatur, Ala., hereby make application to Judge of Probate of Morgan County for registration of marks and brands on milk bottles described below, viz: Glass bottles of one quart and one pint capacity, with "Alabama Dairy, H. A. Ramage" molded inside of bottles; also glass bottles of one quart and one pint capacity with name of "X. V. Dairy, C. E. Manning, Decatur, Ala." molded inside of bottles; also bottles of one quart and one pint capacity with ridges perpendicular on bottles.

Witness my hand and seal this July 30th, 1917.

H. A. RAMAGE
STATE OF ALABAMA
MORGAN COUNTY.

I, Frank Davis, a notary public in and for said county and state, hereby certify that H. A. Ramage, whose name is signed to the foregoing application and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that being informed of the contents of the foregoing application, acknowledged that he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, 1917.

FRANK J. DAVIS,
J 31 A-7-14 Notary Public.

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Witness my hand as Register of said Court, this July 27, 1917.

MARVIN WEST, Register.

Just In Passing

HE GOT THE PEACH.

"One big, red, ripe peach was the sole cause of a fall that knocked the breath out of me, and I believe broke a rib," said J. H. Knapp of the Albany postoffice. "I climbed the peach tree and was stretching out after the tempting bait when the limb cracked and down I fell. The only consolation I had when I recovered my breath was that the peach fell with me."

NEED STIRRING UP.

"The reason so many people are not volunteering for war," said Circuit Clerk Draper, "is that their enthusiasm has not been aroused as in previous wars. In the civil and Spanish-American wars, silver-tongued orators made patriotic speeches that stirred men on to action without hesitation. But now a man has to sit down and coolly decide whether he shall volunteer for his country's need or stay at home and miss the shot and shell of battle."

WANT ADS BRING COMPANY.

"I am getting a little lonesome and think I will insert another want ad in the Daily," said Judge S. L. Cook. "Recently, when I decided to offer my home for sale I placed a small advertisement in the want columns of the Daily, and that very same day four or five persons called to inspect the property. I didn't make a sale at that time, but I had plenty of company."

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STATE OF ALABAMA,
MORGAN COUNTY.

THIS AGREEMENT entered into by and between and among James L. Echols, who resides in Albany, Alabama, formerly New Decatur, Alabama, and Guy L. Echols, who resides in Albany, Alabama, formerly New Decatur, Alabama, and James D. Scruggs, who resides in the City of Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama.

WITNESSETH: That they constitute all the holders of the capital stock of the Decatur Brick & Tile Company, a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Alabama, under and by virtue of proceedings had and done before the Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, Alabama; the capital stock thereof being of the nominal or par value of fifteen thousand dollars, divided into shares of the nominal or par value of one hundred dollars each and the holders thereof being as follows: James L. Echols holds 149 shares of the said stock; Guy L. Echols, 1 share; and James D. Scruggs 150 shares.

It is further agreed that the said corporation be, and the same hereby is, dissolved, and its charter vacated, and annulled, and its corporate life, functions and activities forever here-by terminated.

In witness whereof, we hereunto set our hands and seals this 7th day of April, 1917.

J. L. ECHOLS, (Seal.)
GUY L. ECHOLS, (Seal.)
JAS. D. SCRUGGS, (Seal.)

STATE OF ALABAMA,
MORGAN COUNTY.

I, Eugene Ferris, notary public, in and for said state and county, do hereby certify that James L. Echols and Guy L. Echols, whose names are signed to the foregoing agreement of dissolution of the Decatur Brick & Tile Company, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me this day that, being informed of the contents of the foregoing agreement, they each executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Witness my hand this 7th day of April, 1917.

EUGENE FERRIS,
Notary Public.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
JEFFERSON COUNTY.

I, Lula Pogue, notary public in and for said state and county, do hereby certify that James D. Scruggs, whose name is signed to the foregoing agreement of dissolution of the Decatur Brick & Tile Company, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me this day that, being informed of the contents of the foregoing agreement, he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Witness my hand this 9th day of April, 1917.

LULA POGUE,
Notary Public.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
MORGAN COUNTY.

I, Lovick P. Troup, Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing agreement for the dissolution of the corporation of the Decatur Brick & Tile Company has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand this 14th day of April, 1917.

L. P. TROUP,
Judge of Probate.

AMUSEMENTS

The English Beauty, Kitty Gordon, at
Dellite and Star Tomorrow in
"Her Maternal Right."

Kitty Gordon, the International star, will next be seen in "Her Maternal Right," which was written expressly for her by Willard Mack, author of "Kick In," and other legitimate successes. The role given her fits her like a glove, and even better than was anticipated, her performance being a great revelation to the critics who were at the first showing of this five-part feature when it was given the acid test of criticism in the projection room of the World Film Corporation. Admirers of Miss Gordon will be pleased to learn that "Her Maternal Right" will be the feature shown at the Dellite and Star theatres on Thursday, and arrangements can now be made for an evening of extreme pleasure spent at these popular play-houses.

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(Comptroller's Call)
June 20, 1917.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$362,897.53	Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
Overdrafts.....366.94	Surplus.....20,000.00
Building and Fixtures.....23,600.86	Undivided Profits.....38,430.94
Other Real Estate.....1,631.50	Reserve for Interest.....1,853.11
U. S. Bonds.....110,000.00	Reserve for Taxes.....862.32
Other Bonds.....23,639.44	Circulation.....95,100.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank 3,600.00	Due Banks.....312.48
Five per cent Fund.....5,000.00	Deposits.....408,592.65
Cash and due from Banks 131,864.53	
\$665,151.50	\$665,151.50

Official Table

Averages of the Sunday Schools of Albany and Decatur
This report is published each week:

Sunday, Aug. 5, 1917

SCHOOL	Total Enrolled	No. Present	Perct. School
First Baptist, Decatur.....	125	101	808
Central Baptist, Albany.....	246	154	626
Baptist South Albany.....	195	132	676
Baptist, East Albany.....	175	103	588
First Christian, Albany.....	80	46	575
First Methodist, Decatur.....	311	157	508
Central Methodist, Albany.....	428	255	595
Ninth Street Methodist, South Albany.....	189	141	589
First Presbyterian, Decatur.....	90	58	644
WestSide Presbyterian West Albany.....	210	140	666
Westminster Presb't'n, Albany.....	125	83	664
Willoughby Presbyterian, South Albany.....	130	87	669
St. John Episcopalian.....	70	40	571
Salvation Army Decatur-Albany.....			
Jackson St. Church of Christ.....	101	73	722
Fairview Baptist.....			
Austinville Baptist.....			

WANTS

HELP WANTED, REAL ESTATE and HOMES FOR SALE, LOST or FOUND, LOANS ETC. All Want Ads Cash in Advance.

No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents
25 words, 3 times 25c 50 words, 1 time 50c
25 words, 3 times 50c 50 words, 3 times 1.00
25 words, 1 week 1.00 50 words, 1 week 1.75
25 words, 1 mo. 2.50 50 words, 1 mo. 4.00

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, practically new, at a bargain. See Lawrence Jacks, at D. S. Echols' Garage, Church street. 8-3t

FOR SALE—One 2-story house, 8 rooms and cellar; would take in part pay one mule or horse team. Address 433 Moulton St. J. L. Cook. 8-6t

WANTED—Office clerk of ability, position requires bond; give age and experience in application. Address postoffice box Decatur 181. 8-3t

COLLECTIONS—Notes, mortgages, open accounts turned into your cash drawer by the Tennessee Valley Credit Association. Reasonable commissions. Office 501 1/2 Second Ave. Phone Albany 115. 7-3t

FOR RENT AT ONCE—8-room house, all modern conveniences. Line and Church streets. Apply to Olin Bros. 7-tf

WANTED—Good, experienced salesman of men's clothing and shoes. Apply to Olin Bros. 7-tf

WANTED—To buy, a real good second hand 5-passenger Ford. Phone Decatur 267-J. 7-3t

FOR SALE—Household goods and furniture at a bargain. Call at 308 Cain street, Decatur. 7-6t

WANTED TO REST—Three or four room house, modern conveniences, in Albany, or will consider three furnished or unfurnished downstairs rooms fitted for housekeeping. Write "X. Y. Z." care this paper. 7-tf

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FOR SALE—Best cow feed in town, \$2.00 per 100-lb. sack, delivered. Decatur Feed & Grain Co. Phone 55. Bank and Water streets. 14-cod-tf

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FOR SALE—Four work mules and farming implements. Apply Mrs. Luther Brown, Eleventh avenue west. Wed-Sat-tf

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FOR RENT—Eight-room house 448 Johnston street. Apply A. D. Jervis. 19-tf

WANTED—Applications for all kinds of surety bonds. D. M. Carr, agent Fidelity & Deposit Company of Baltimore, Md. Office over Decatur Drug Co. P. O. Box 304, Decatur, Ala. M 15-tf

WOOD FOR SALE—Heater or stove wood. Call Wilder Place, 124, Albany. M 3-lyr

LOANS—Until September 1, I am in position to negotiate \$2,000 to \$40,000 real estate loans. Reasonable commissions. J. A. Thornhill, 501 1/2 Second Ave. Phone Albany 115.

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Office Rear Morgan Co. Nat'l Bank
Albany, Ala. Phone 40

ATTENTION, RED CROSS.

Albany Red Cross chapter is here-by called to meet at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday, August 9th at 4 p. m. Business of importance. All members are urged to be present. Come.

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A startling society drama in which Miss Gordon wears the most gorgeous gowns ever seen on the screen.

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Miss Biggart Tonight at First Presbyterian

Miss Mabelle Biggart, of New York City, widely known as the "Sunshine Evangelist," an impersonator and strong worker along religious lines, will speak at the mid-week prayer service this evening at the First Presbyterian church. Her subject will be "Go Another Mile." Miss Biggart will bring a special message from the Christians of Norway, Sweden and Lapland, in which countries she has extensively traveled. The public is cordially invited. No offering will be taken.

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On account of the length of this feature, we will have only one vaudeville performance tonight. Picture 7:30; Vaudeville at 8:45, all for the price of show.

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THE VOLUNTEER.

A little woman bravely smiles, A little child, clinging round his knees; A whisper comes across the miles Of faint, far-off artillery.

There is a summer sweetness here, With birds and flowers to lend their charm;

And so he rises up with cheer, The child still clinging to his arm.

Today along the humming street He marched in silence with his mates

And everywhere, with faces sweet, It seems some little woman waits.

To training camp and field of strife So ready, so true and fine—

These are the nation's heart of life, These volunteers of rank and line.

A careless gladness in their eyes, A sunny hope upon their face;

They answer when their country cries They spring to take their steadfast place.

And to the lovely flag they love They render all they have to give—

A service and a sacrifice That those who stay behind may live.

They come! They wear the khaki well, They swing in step to morning's tune.

They know that every war is hell, But duty's more than all the ruin!

Good-bye, sweetheart, and wife and child, Old mother in her trembling years—

Now down the avenue they've fled, And some lone woman hides her tears.

The raw recruit, the volunteer, The victims of full many a jeer—

But when the land they love send forth Her challenge with devotion fond—

From West and East and South and North With zeal unwavering, they respond—

These zeal, these tried, these splendid men, Under the Stars and Stripes again!

—The Bentztown-Bard.

FERRY STREET ROOK CLUB.

Mrs. J. H. Calvin will be hostess to the Ferry Street Rook club Friday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock.

Mrs. J. T. Vanarsdall, and C. J. O'Bryen returned last night from Birmingham, where they visited friends.

Miss Mary Duttlinger is the guest of Miss Mamie O'Bryen, en route from Houston, Texas, to her home in Nashville.

Miss Mamie O'Bryen returned from Birmingham last night, where for a week she had been the guest of friends.

Mrs. Sam Alexander has returned to Hartselle, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Oshine.

Mrs. R. J. Baird and E. J. Fenn, of Medina, Ohio, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Borton.

Mrs. H. B. Lankster, James and little Ruth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith at Elkmont Springs.

Misses Nona and Mary Swann are visiting relatives at Elkmont, Ala. They will return Sunday after a three weeks' stay.

Lucile Huckabee returned today from Hartselle, where she has been visiting relatives.

Master Ivan Haffey, of Madison, is visiting his cousin, Ross Dublin, on Prospect Drive.

Mrs. J. B. Dickenson, of Florence, has accepted a position as collector with John M. Minor, district manager of the Alabama Life and Accident Insurance Company, and will be stationed at Decatur.

Mrs. L. H. Ramage is visiting in Hartselle, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Leo Oberdorfer, of Birmingham, is the guest of relatives in Decatur.

Mrs. Anna Reynolds and Madeline Trapp are the guests of Miss Amelia Troy at Montreat, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Yarbrough, of Elkmont, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hillis.

Mrs. L. Lesser left for Indianapolis last night to visit her daughter, Mrs. N. Rosenzweig.

Mrs. Sam Schulman, of Pulaski, is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Sam Frank.

Miss Coy Surratt, of Salisbury, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Surratt.

BETH JACKSON CELEBRATES TENTH ANNIVERSARY.

Mrs. Oliver Johnson delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon at her residence on East Grant street, about twenty youngsters to celebrate the tenth anniversary of her niece, Ruth Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson. Many games were played, Nellie Dutton winning first prize in donkey contest; Jack Gillespie winning second. Music was rendered by Mrs. George Jackson and Miss Imogene Winton, while Mesdames Johnson, Boeglen and Holt served refreshments to the little ones. The color scheme was carried throughout in pink and white. Each child had a "whack" at the birthday cake which contained a ring and a button. Each one tried diligently to cut the ring, which is a sure sign that they would be the first to marry, while the button proves them to be a bachelor or an old maid. In this case Master George Jackson, Jr., cutting first the button, and then the ring in the second cut, which proves amiss to the old proverb. All went home declaring a great time, and wishing little Miss Ruth many more birthdays.

SKATING PARTY FOR KATHERINE LEEPER.

This morning four couples enjoyed the skating rink as the guests of Lucile Patterson, who entertained for her guest, Katherine Leeper, of Birmingham. The guest list included Mary Harvey, Evelyn Wade, Katherine Leeper, Lucile Patterson, Eugene Russell, A. C. Bailey, Barrett Shelton and Malcolm Patterson. Mrs. Herman Troup chaperoned the party.

MRS. SAM FRANK AND MRS. C. A. MOORE, JOINT WHIST HOSTESSES.

For four recent brides, Mrs. Sam Frank and Mrs. C. A. Moore entertained at whist Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Sam Frank. Four tables were arranged in the spacious living room for the game, in which Mrs. A. Polytinsky won first prize, and Mrs. Harry Oshine cut for the bride's prize, and Mrs. Sam Ory the consolation. A delicious salad course furnished a delightful entertainment. The guests were Mesdames A. Polytinsky, M. Barnett, A. Bernstein, Harry and Abe Oshine, J. Block, J. S. Patterson, E. S. Levy, M. L. Schulman, A. D. Cohen, L. Lesser and Miss Henrietta Cahn.

Mrs. Charles Alexander will entertain at whist at Hartselle Thursday for the four brides, Mesdames Sara Ory, S. Schulman, H. Oshine, and S. Alexander. Those attending from the Twin Cities will be: Mesdames J. S. Patterson, E. S. Levy, A. Polytinsky, C. A. Moore, S. Frank, M. Barnett, A. Bernstein, Harry and Abe Oshine.

Mrs. W. Cowden, who has been at St. Thomas infirmary, is expected home this week.

Mrs. Eugene Morrow, who underwent a successful operation at Huntsville, is reported improving rapidly.

Miss Etelle Reed, of Ft. Reed, Fla., is visiting Mrs. Roger Gardner.

Mrs. E. S. Levy and Miss Henrietta Cahn, of Ensley, are visiting Mrs. J. S. Patterson on Ferry street.

Four "War Grooms" Refused Exemption

(International News Service.)
Cleveland, O., Aug. 8.—Four "war grooms" married since April 6, were denied exemption for the draft army this afternoon.

Americans Perish on Belgian Prince

(International News Service.)
London, Aug. 8.—Among the 38 persons who lost their lives when a German submarine sank the steamship Belgian Prince, were four Americans according to information received here today.

WILSON TURNS ATTENTION TO LABOR SITUATION.

(International News Service.)
Washington, Aug. 8.—President Wilson today turned his attention to the labor angle of the coal situation. He talked to labor representatives after having yesterday thrashed out the business side with the federal trade commission.

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KAISER PICKED NEW CABINET

THEIR ACTIONS EXPECTED TO REFLECT HIS PERSONAL VIEWS.

(International News Service.)

Copenhagen, Aug. 8.—The 14 new members of the German government were picked personally by the Kaiser, and their official actions will directly reflect the Kaiser's views, says a dispatch from Berlin today.

A large section of the press is attacking the newcomers for various reasons, but among the leaders there is an evident desire to wait awhile before supporting or opposing them. The two chief avenues for action by the reorganized government which will be watched most closely are: 1—Movement towards peace. 2—Institution of constitutional reforms.

PERSONALS

B. L. Malone was in Huntsville today on business.

Horace McLaurine, of Memphis, is here today to appear before the Morgan county selection board, being in the first call of men drafted for the new army.

R. H. McJilton, of Detroit, Mich., was here today visiting his father, H. S. McJilton. Mr. McJilton will return to Detroit the latter part of the week.

Dr. L. H. Ramage is in Birmingham until Friday.

Edwin Elder, of Pulaski, Tenn., is the guest of his cousin, Miss Mabel Hartung.

Lamar Eyster, who has been traveling in the interest of Kappa Alpha fraternity, returned last night from South Alabama.

Cecil McKnight, of Fayetteville, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McKnight.

A. D. Cohen left last night for New York and other eastern markets, where he will purchase fall goods.

Mrs. Clark Grows Some Fine Fruit

Just as a sample of the fine peaches that she has grown in her city orchard of two Elberta trees Mrs. L. E. Clark, of 330 Moulton street, today sent the Daily two luscious specimens. They were unusually large and perfect. Mrs. Clark has put up 57 cans of peaches from one of these trees.

Busy Times At Albany Red Cross

Thirteen members of the Albany Red Cross met yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. and the fashioning of things useful for our boys in the army proceeded with dispatch. Sewing machines hummed and needles flew in the work of relief.

ATHENS NEWS.

Mayor Hing is confined at home with a mild case of malarial fever. He hopes soon to be out again.

Miss Marie Leslie, who has been visiting her large circle of relatives and friends, leaves for her home in West Point, Miss., this week.

Mrs. R. B. Stonestreet is the chaperone of quite a happy party of campers at Veto. Reports from them say they are enjoying the outing to the fullest.

Misses Bandy and Pat Westmoreland are spending a few days at Elkmont Springs.

Our Friends the Birds.

Birds are the friends of mankind. Were it not for their kind offices, so ill-requited, men could not live upon the earth more than a year or two. Insect life would sweep over the earth in a devastating flood. Every green thing would disappear as insects great and small, flying, creeping, swimming, boring and omnivorous, swept over the land. The birds, and the birds alone, are our guardians and keepers, and yet we make senseless war upon them. Because a few birds that guard our peas and cherries take tribute of the fruit they preserve we make senseless war upon them until by sad experience we are taught that it is a choice between plenty of birds and fewer cherries, and without the birds no cherries at all. The hawks and owls rid us of pestiferous vermin and now and then take a chicken for tribute. Therefore we make war upon hawks and owls and by and by we have no clover, because the mice have eaten the eggs of the bumblebee, and so the clover is not fertilized.—Christian Register.

AIDS UNCLE'S CAMPAIGN



Mrs. Jack Matthews, niece of Herbert Hoover, is an efficient worker for food conservation in Los Angeles and has been especially active in promoting the home growing of vegetables.

Sun Sets Hotel on Fire.

Everyone realizes that the burning rays of the sun pouring upon the fruits growing on the trees of southern California cause them to ripen into mellow, luscious palate satisfiers. But one can scarcely believe that these same rays can be so fierce that pouring through a window they set fire to a building. This happened twice recently on the same day in a Pasadena hotel, causing damage amounting to several hundred dollars.

MARRIED MEN ALSO TO FIGHT

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cal and district boards. When the final count is made it will show that over 50 per cent of those claiming exemptions have had their claims disallowed.

ROOT MISSION AT WASHINGTON

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ing in Russia is strong. Russia already has made great progress.

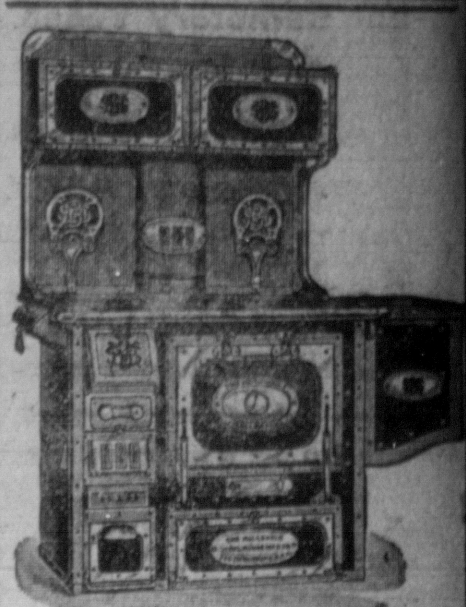
Her Great Comfort.

Donald and Charlie, two boys of eleven, went for a hike the other day, and when the noon luncheon hour arrived failed to appear after an absence of two hours, causing Donald's mother to become worried, fearing an accident had happened to the boy, who is always prompt at meal times, even if not on other occasions. But the father at his luncheon calmly, being wise to the ways and wanderings of boys of eleven, and unworriedly started for his office at 1 o'clock, when the wife remarked to him, her brows furrowed with care, "What shall I do if Donald doesn't come?" "I'll tell you what you do," said her son. "Now, if that boy doesn't get back in an hour from now you call me up at the office, and I'll tell you not to worry."—Indianapolis News.

How Watches Vary.

Theoretically, says a jeweler, the best watches of today are perfect, but actually they both gain and lose time every day. Even if the good watch does not vary one second at the end of the twenty-four hours, the expert insists, it has both gained and lost in that time. If it is wound in the morning it runs fast and toward the next morning runs slow, thus equalizing the time. He says the best watches should be wound twice a day and then at only two-thirds of the capacity of the mainspring, thus preventing either binding or extremes of strong or weakened spring. The balance wheel was expected to equalize differences of mainspring tension, but really this is not the case in what is called perfection.

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Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Galyon had. Foster-McBurr Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (Adv.)

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**Albany City Council
Declines to Settle
Assessment Cases**

The Decatur Land Company, represented by their attorneys, Eyster & Kyster, submitted a proposition to the city council last night to settle all assessment cases against the city of Albany. The company agreed to pay 75 per cent of the \$21,434.40 assessed against them with 6 per cent interest from the date the assessment was originally set by the council until the present time.

Several of these cases have already been tried by the circuit court now in session. In some of the cases the assessment was lowered. The city council decided to reject the proposal and to fight the cases.

**STREET TAX REFUND
FOR HOME GUARDS
ANNOUNCE ALBANY
SCHOOL FACULTY****ALBANY COUNCIL VOTES TO RE-
LIEVE SOLDIERS FROM THE
ASSESSMENT.**

The Albany city council passed an ordinance last night to exempt Home Guards from paying street taxes, on the condition that they attend the drills. Mayor E. C. Payne recommended the exemption, suggesting that the guards should be given every encouragement as they fill the place of the state militia. Those who have already paid their street assessment will be refunded the money on presenting themselves at the office of the city clerk.

The movement for a city park was vigorously discussed again by the council. Permission was given to the street committee to confer with the Land Company with regard to exchanging undesirable park property for other land near the Woodland Park, already owned by the city in the eastern part of the city.

The report of Chief of Police Cobb for the month of July showed white males arrested, 33; convicted, 21; colored arrested, 15; convicted, 13. Fines imposed, \$199.30; paid in cash, \$155.80; worked out, \$48.50; total credit, \$199.30. Of this amount \$139.40 was delinquent street taxes.

The report of City Clerk Henry Hartung showed a balance of \$943.97 in the general funds of the city. The balance of the paid improvement bond fund was \$17,419.17 for the month ending July 31.

Sanitary Officer F. J. Patterson reported \$140.45 collected for the month of July.

**How to Send Mail
to Soldier Boys in
European Service**

The Albany postoffice has been besieged with so many inquiries concerning the sending of mail matter to the American soldiers in France that the Daily is again giving publicity to the orders relative to this class of mail recently promulgated by the postmaster general.

Letters intended for United States soldiers in Europe should be carefully addressed and under the name should appear the name of the company, regiment, and unit to which the soldier is attached. No other address should be given except the words "American Expeditionary Forces," this precaution being taken to prevent the disclosure of the location of the American army in France.

The postage rates on such letters to soldiers are the same as in the United States. There is 2 cents will carry a letter of ordinary size, but great care must be taken that the proper amount of postage is affixed.

Packages may be sent to the American soldiers in France at the rate of 12 cents per pound.

Magazines may be sent with a one cent stamp in the little square in the upper right hand corner. No addressing or wrapping is required for magazines, which will be distributed to the soldiers who desire them. Collier's and several other well-known weekly and monthly magazines have begun to print the little squares on their title page covers.

**Another Winter of
War, Assert French**

(International News Service.)

Paris, Aug. 8.—Another winter of war was predicted today by French military writers. While Russia's aid is being discounted, the allies are pinning great hopes to the part the United States is going to play during the next eight or ten months. In the meantime, the German allies will grow weaker, while the allies will grow correspondingly stronger.

The possibility exists that the allied fighting forces, including the United army, will launch their biggest offensive in the future. Gigantic plans are already in their initial form.

**Striking Indians
Capture White Men**

(International News Service.)

Globe, Ariz., Aug. 9.—Cowboys and forest rangers are hurrying to reinforce nine white men who, supplied with only a few rounds of ammunition, are reported surrounded in the Sierra Anches mountains, 50 miles from here, by about 100 striking Indians and Mexicans from the Asbestos mines.

**ROY W. KIMBROUGH CHOSEN AS
PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL.**

Announcement of the faculty of the Albany schools which open September 17, was received today from Supt. R. W. Cowart, now in Columbia University, New York. Superintendent Cowart will announce his plans later. He urges that boarding house people confer with him regarding accommodations for teachers.

For principal of the high school Roy W. Kimbrough, of Thomasville, Ala., has been secured. He is a graduate of the state university with a high distinction. While there he was a member and president of the Blackfriars, a dramatic society. He was also chosen a member of a national honor fraternity, the Phi Beta Kappa.

The faculty is as follows:
High School.

Roy W. Kimbrough, principal.
Miss Gladys Godbey, Latin and History.

Mrs. Anna Reynolds, English.
Miss Amelia Troy, Algebra, Arithmetic and Drawing.

Miss Kathleen Webb, Geometry, Geometrical Drawing.

Miss Annie Milligan, Home Economics.

Seventh grade work divided among high school teachers.

Gordon School.

Mrs. Kimball B. Jones, principal.
Miss Maude Odom, Sixth grade.

Miss Martha Weaver, Fifth grade.
Miss Jennie Perkins, Fifth grade.

Miss Zulee, Gibson, Fourth grade.
Miss Alice Waters, Fourth grade.

Miss Kathleen Humphrey, Third.
Miss Charley Lane, Second grade.

Miss Emma Sue Morris, Second and Third grades.

Second Ward.

W. L. Thomas, principal, Sixth grade.

Miss Lila Pritchett, Fifth grade.
Miss Virginia Carswell, Fourth grade.

Miss Alice Hatton, Third grade.
Miss Margaret Keenan, Second grade.

Miss Elizabeth Warren, First grade.

Third Ward.

Miss Anne F. Cliffe, principal, Second and Third grade.

Miss Jimmie Ledbetter, First grade.

First Ward.

Miss Sarah P. Calhoun, principal, Third grade.

Miss Cassie B. Robinson, Second grade.

Miss Stella Orr, First grade.
Miss Fannie Johnson, teacher of expression.

Colored School.

W. J. Wilson, principal.
Mildred Dillard, assistant.

Second assistant yet to be elected.

**Miss Mollie Price Here
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Miss Mollie Price, formerly of this city, but now doing the great work in charge of the "Door of Hope" rescue home in Nashville, is in Huntsville for a few days on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Dilworth, and brother, Night Chief Police Walter Price.

In addition to her other duties, Miss Price is engaged in a lecture tour over Tennessee and Alabama for the benefit of the home she represents, and is being cordially received by the churches and all progressive religious institutions.

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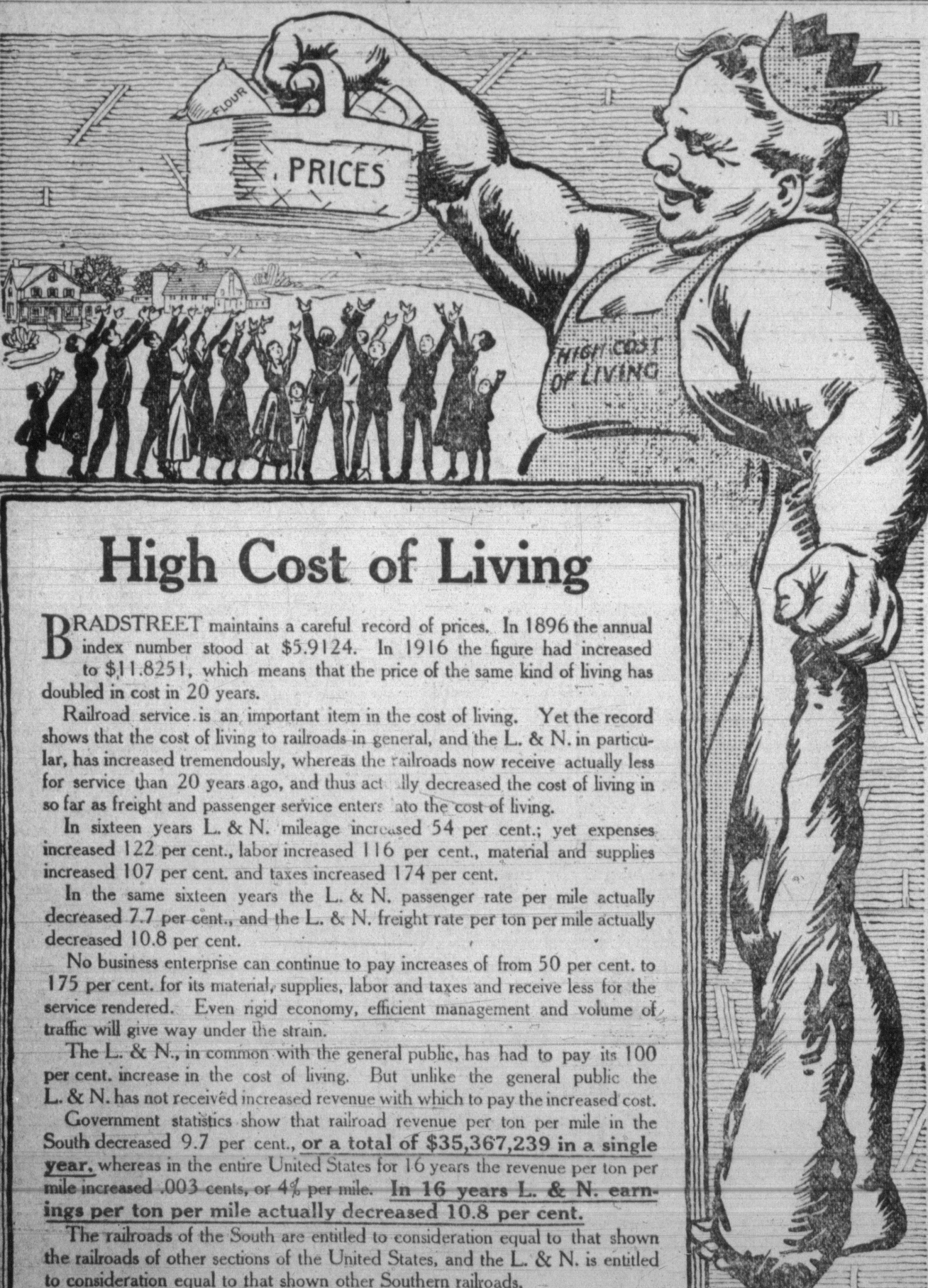
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